HOUSE BILL 3256

By Armstrong

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67; Title 68 and Title 71, relative to hospitals.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. On or before February 15, 2011, the commissioner of health shall report to the health and human resources committee of the house of representatives and the senate general welfare, health and human resources committee concerning issues related to provider taxation involving hospitals and medical assistance funding under current federal law. The commissioner shall also review the history and fiscal and other impact of such taxation in this state and other states. The commissioner shall consult with the bureau of TennCare and other relevant state agencies in preparing this report.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.